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MESOTRIONE AND A SECOND HERBICIDE

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 18, 2007, kindly enter the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification – none

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings – N/A

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.